

**CONFERENCE COMMITTEE REPORT
DIGEST FOR ESB 218**

Citations Affected: IC 21-44-1-10.

Synopsis: Eligible institutions for anatomical education programs. Provides that an "eligible institution", for purposes of the anatomical education program, must be an educational institution located in the United States. (Current law requires the institution be located in Indiana.) **(This conference committee report: (1) removes language that specified requirements for claim payments to out of network health care providers; and (2) removes language that required a health care provider or clinical laboratory that sends a patient sample for anatomic pathology services to a referral laboratory to disclose to the patient if the health care provider or clinical laboratory has a financial interest in the referral laboratory.)**

Effective: July 1, 2009.

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MADAM PRESIDENT:

Your Conference Committee appointed to confer with a like committee from the House upon Engrossed House Amendments to Engrossed Senate Bill No. 218 respectfully reports that said two committees have conferred and agreed as follows to wit:

that the Senate recede from its dissent from all House amendments and that the Senate now concur in all House amendments to the bill and that the bill be further amended as follows:

- 1 Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:
 - 2 SECTION 1. IC 21-44-1-10, AS ADDED BY P.L.2-2007,
 - 3 SECTION 285, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
 - 4 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2009]: Sec. 10. "Eligible institution", for
 - 5 purposes of:
 - 6 (1) sections 2 and 11 of this chapter and IC 21-44-2, means a
 - 7 university, college, or other educational institution that:
 - 8 (A) operates in ~~Indiana~~; **the United States**; and
 - 9 (B) offers a health education program leading to a
 - 10 baccalaureate, graduate, or postgraduate degree in a health
 - 11 related field including:
 - 12 (i) medicine;
 - 13 (ii) dentistry;
 - 14 (iii) optometry;
 - 15 (iv) nursing;
 - 16 (v) physical therapy;
 - 17 (vi) occupational therapy; or
 - 18 (vii) other allied health fields; and
 - 19 (2) IC 21-44-3, refers to a postsecondary educational institution
 - 20 that qualifies as an eligible institution under IC 21-44-3-1(4).
- (Reference is to ESB 218 as reprinted April 14, 2009.)

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on
Engrossed Senate Bill 218

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